

## BENEFIT BALL SCHEDULED FOR AILING SNO-KING



**QUEEN SYBIL . . .** As she was crowned at the Talent show last Thursday. Miss Wainstock, our 1954 Sno-Queen, received the most votes cast for this year's six candidates. Sybil's roses were given by the Sno-Week committee.

### Minstrel Troupe Ends Season After Two Charity, Sno-Week Performances

Beta Phi Kappa social fraternity presented the third and final performance of its first annual Minstrel Show for a Sno-Week crowd on February 24, in Main auditorium.

The cast included all members of the fraternity, and featured Dick Gay as Mister Interlocuter, and Jerry Cook, Jerry Nelson, Ernie Hassell and Bill Ehmke as endmen.

Highlights of the show were variety acts presented through the courtesy of a local dancing studio, a specialty dance number by Jean Holmstrand and Gordon Brockway, and Don Hogquist, singing "Water Boy" and "Old Man River."

Anita Lee accompanied the chorus of fraternity members singing medleys of traditionally favorite songs.

### To Meet With JC's Duluth Alumni Group

The Minnesota Alumni club of Duluth is planning a meeting with the Junior Chamber of Commerce Monday, March 11, at 12 noon, in the Covenant club.

This meeting will be held in honor of University week. Dr. Darland will be the speaker. Four UMD students will be guests at the meeting, with Dick Beckman, Commissioner of Public Relations introducing the other three.

Next week the planning group will meet to organize a meeting between spring and winter quarter, a spring reunion and to spearhead the membership drive.

Thomas Kohlbry, 1950 graduate of UMD, is the president of the club.

### Training Sessions Set For Visitation Group

This spring representatives of the freshman class will visit area high schools with the intention of acquainting high school seniors interested in continuing their schooling, with the differences between their high school routine and what they will encounter in college.

Next Monday and Wednesday at 6 p. m. there will be training sessions held in Washburn hall with faculty and administration personnel presenting the phases of college life that will be presented on these visitation trips.

The purpose of the trips will not be recruitment, but more of an explanation of college life in general, with the advantages and benefits available, obligations and responsibilities of the future student being stressed.

This project is being sponsored by the freshman class and cabinet and has Student council backing. The committee chairmen are Dwight Hillstrom and Dorothy Lea.

Refreshments will be served at the training sessions. Anyone interested in learning more about the program may get additional information from Mr. Robert Falk, Coordinator of Student Activities, Room 215, Main.

### Plans For Cadets' Sweetheart Talent Show Under Way

Plans were announced this week by the ROTC Arnold Air society, to resume their annual Variety show in connection with the spring Sweetheart campaign and ball.

This year's show will take place on Thursday, April 22, in Main auditorium, according to Cadet L. W. F. Berg, chairman of the show.

The group has a reputation of staging good functions in the past, evidence of this is their 1952 show, "North Atlantic", which performed to enthusiastic audiences in the Washington Junior high school auditorium.

According to Berg the committee has some "unusual skits" lined up but are still looking for a few more to round out the program. Non-ROTC students are invited to take part in the show.

The Sweetheart candidates will be introduced at this performance and the winner will be announced at the Military ball shortly following. Cadet David Everson is chairman of the dance.

Prizes for the winners of the Variety show will be \$15, first prize, \$10, second prize, and \$5, third prize.

Any interested people wishing to submit acts in the show are urged to contact Lawrence Berg, PO 497.

The Student council, at their regular meeting last Tuesday night, agreed to financially back an all-school dance with the proceeds to go to our disabled Sno-King, George Anderson.

Anderson, as students will remember, was judged to have the best beard at the Sno-Week square dance and crowned Sno-King.

The next night at the intra-fraternity broomball game, the new Sno-King broke his leg. At first his injury seemed to be slight, but in two days serious complications had set in and his condition was termed serious.

The University carries no insurance to cover accidents such as this and so George will receive no help with his hospital

bill except through the Sno-King benefit drive, of which the dance is a part.

The benefit ball will be held at the Athletic club on Saturday, March 13. The Blue Notes have been contracted to furnish the music for the affair. Dancing will be from 9 until 1 a. m.

The dance committee is working on posters that will be sold to campus organizations stating that their club is backing George. These posters will go on sale today and the clubs will post them in prominent places on campus.

Tickets for the dance will be available from members of Gamma Theta Phi or from the ticket booth in Main on Wednesday through Friday of next week.

The dance committee consists of Jerry Cross, general chairman, Bill Shimek and Jerry DeShaw. Arrangements will be taken care of by Bob Juneau and Don Kobs, members of George's fraternity, Gamma Theta Phi. Don Mlodzik is in charge of publicity.



KING GEORGE

### 2-Day Camping Trip Planned For Coming Orientation Group

Freshmen students entering UMD in the fall will benefit from the many newly improved orientation activities, foremost of which will be the first Freshman Orientation camp. Immediately prior to the opening of school, the students who have sent in applications will spend an eventful two-day camping period at Camp Miller, with the promise of two periods if enough students apply.

Planning and co-ordination of camp activities are being undertaken by the Orientation committee, headed by sophomore class president, Ralph Miller. The UMD-Y club, Bob Falk, and Mr. Jack Uhlenhapt, director of Camp Miller, have also played an important part in the plan-

ning of this event. The staff will include: upper class student leaders, some members of the faculty and OSPS, and the Camp Miller YMCA staff.

A well rounded, social and recreational program is being planned, in addition to various discussion and educational groups. The theme for discussion, which is now being developed, will center around some of the changes that can be expected through a college education.

In addition to the enjoyment of meeting in a relaxed and friendly environment, there will be a chance for Duluth and out-of-town to get together and a large segment of frosh will receive a better picture of college life.



1954 SNO-QUEEN SYBIL WAINSTOCK being presented at the Sno-Ball by General Sno-Week Chairman, Don Mlodzik. This year's Sno-Ball was held at the Hotel Duluth ballroom. Dick Finch and his orchestra played.

Preceding the Sno-Week performance, the group performed for the public with the proceeds going to the March of Dimes and at the Nopeming Tuberculosis sanatorium.

In regard to their Nopeming show the fraternity received the following letter.

February 19, 1954

Mr. Dick Gay  
UMD Beta Phi Kappa  
Duluth, Minnesota  
Dear Mr. Gay:

I want to express for all of us how much we enjoyed the fine program you arranged for our patients last evening. Remarks from the patients have been unanimously enthusiastic in their appreciation. We appreciate your interest in our patients and the institution and hope you may arrange further similar programs.

Please convey my thanks to all the boys for their help after the program.

Sincerely yours,

MISS IRENE STEIN,  
Recreation Therapist.

### Ojakangas and Juneau To Fly to Omaha, Neb.

Dick Ojakangas and Bob Juneau have been named at an Arnold society meeting to represent the local group in the annual Conclave being held this year in Omaha, Neb.

Ojakangas, a senior, and Juneau, a junior, will fly to the meeting of national ROTC delegates being held this year April 16 and 17.



## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

By Dick Bibler



"Ordinarily I don't go along with 'student lesson planning', but every now and then they come up with something pretty good."

## Decorations Chairman Recognizes Classmates On Sno-Ball Committee

By BARBARA LAIBL

I was asked to write an overall story on the Sno-Ball. I tried in vain to touch on decorations and then describe the rest of the dance. Then I thought of the hard work and hours of time so many sophomores put in on decorations, and decided to recognize their efforts publicly. Since most of you attended this dance, a record attendance in fact, perhaps you'd like to go back a few days with me to the time when the Hotel Duluth ballroom was nothing more than an ordinary ballroom; a dance floor, four walls, a high ceiling, and beautiful chandeliers.

To begin with, the Sno-Ball is put on by the sophomore class. This narrows down to the responsibility of the class officers usually, though there is no reason why it should. As president, Ralph Miller worked closely with his officers. The bulk of responsibility fell on Jerry Nelson, vice-president and chairman of the dance.

Where do I fit in? As you've probably already guessed, I was asked to get some kind of simple decorations up. What could be more simple than snowflakes, I thought. Now getting these "simple" decorations together and putting them up does not seem so spectacular; but consider, if you will, that the site of the dance was not determined until February 19, a week before the Sno-Ball. Where could I get the workers, enough to cut out 300 snowflakes? The whole sophomore class would have to be contacted in the hope that a working nucleus could be formed. There was no school on Monday of that week, so early Tuesday morning, bewildered sophomores began filing into Mrs. Haley's office with a slip of paper in their hand that said, "See Mrs. Haley immediately."

In her office, I explained the situation to them, and that was all. They took it from there.

On Wednesday, the following day, we were ready to begin putting sparkle on them. Gee, they worked so diligently that they kept three or four of us running back and forth from downtown getting supplies and collecting traffic tickets. "Why not put these snowflakes up tomorrow?"

someone suggested, "instead of waiting until Friday?" And that's exactly what we did. At 5:30 p. m., Thursday, the snowflakes were up. We stood back and looked at them and liked what we saw, but something would have to be done to camouflage that high ceiling.

The day before the dance, and we were stymied. With a limited budget and a minimum of time, the only conclusion was strips of crepe paper. We couldn't visualize it at the time, and we all breathed a sigh of relief at how well the light blue and white trips of crepe paper along the sides prompted a dreamy atmosphere and the dark blue and white in the center, an icy, winter effect. Les Nelson, Gordon Fox, Don Peterson and Ralph Romano volunteered to go to the ballroom at 11 a. m. Friday to begin putting the streamers up.

When the rest of us joined them, we couldn't help catching the mood, eager to see the finished product. More streamers needed! Failing to notice the gas tank, I bought three stores out of streamers, and promptly ran out of gas in the middle of an intersection. A kind UMD soul came to the rescue and off I drove to that empty spot in the ten-minute loading zone beside the Hotel Duluth. I was there a bit longer than ten minutes as the finishing touches were finished about 7:30 Friday night. We were too happy to be tired, and too enthusiastic to find any fault with them.

I would like to thank and mention by name all those who cut and sparkled the snowflakes, but the list is too long. Those that helped put up decorations, aside from the four previously mentioned, were: Sue Wanless, Jack Ball, Delouise Higholt, Arlene Palmer, Barb Pederson, Helen Hall, Jerry Nelson, Lee Dominichetti, Gayle Ryan, Sandy Hector, Virginia Lampson, Rod Zurcotte, Jim Blackwell, Frank Mason, and Mike Jukich.

And now the dance is over and the decorations down. We say, in all sincerity, that if these decorations helped you enjoy the dance a little bit more, they've served their purpose. And won't you let us know if we can help you with your dance?

# Scholastic Perfection Not Only Value To Student, Extra-Curricular Important Too

By JACKIE ROCCHIO

"One of the greatest weaknesses we find today in the hiring of college graduates as executives in the retailing field is not the lack of preparation in merchandising, but in the fact that they fail to adequately express themselves to the male and female employees under their supervision." It is with these words that Mr. L. W. Zane, National Personnel Manager of the S. S. Kresge Company, sums up the general feeling of management today, concerning extra-curricular activities. These activities have advanced to the front, sharing a position almost equal to that of academic studies.

Mr. Frank Hanson of the Psychology department expresses the value of extra activities from the standpoint of mental hygiene thus: "If a student is given numerous avenues of expression, he is less apt to become frustrated were he to fail or become cut off from one of these. Also, a student in various organizations has a tighter schedule and is therefore forced to budget his time. It has been shown that students who are active in college continue this activity into their careers, whereas a student who is inactive in college has a very slim chance of changing at a later date."

C. W. Wood, Director of OSPS, has this to say of co-curricular activities:

"Extracurricular Activities today are endeavoring to provide experiences for the members of their student body which will develop the competence necessary for effective living in our present democratic society. At least three different types of skill are necessary: social, civic, and economic. Without doubt, the informal life and activities of the college can contribute materially to individual development in each of these areas. The ability to work harmoniously with other people and to co-operate effectively on group projects is a preparation for living as well as for making a living. The well educated student has taken full advantage of academic class room opportunities and supplemented this training with participation in the co-curricular life of the institution."

Upper classmen who have played a very active part in school life at UMD are also of the opinion that the benefits of such a course have been worthwhile to them.

Grant Merritt feels that extra-curricular activities are every bit as important as academic studies, yet hastens to add, "The amount of this activity is, of course, an individual choice and should be made with the full realization of its benefits. There has to be a limit or it soon assumes too great a proportion compared with the academic studies."

This then is the case for extra activities. The administration, management and students alike agree: that they are valuable outlets for the development of creative abilities in students, that they lead students to be concerned for the welfare of others, enjoy differences in opinions and backgrounds, take responsibility, form lasting friendships and most important of all, true democracy is based on group organization.

There are those, however, who feel that too much stress may be placed on such activities. "My position in this field," says Dick Gay, "has been unique. I have an invaluable education in human relations, but at a great personal and academic cost. Any fool, sucker enough to go into it as deeply as I have will learn much about his fellow students. If I had it to do over again, I wouldn't." Unfortunately, Dick's plight has been shared by a number of students. The student must remember that social

and academic activities go hand in hand. Extra activities should never be undertaken at the expense of studies, yet a wise planner is able to accomplish both. It should be pointed out, however, in spite of Mr. Gay's cynicism that he is a leader academically and extra-curricularly.

The administration has always been quick to encourage organizations on the campus and this year, Bob Falk, Co-ordinator of Student Activities, feels that participation has been more successful than in the past. Responsibility has become more fixed. For example, if there are criticisms of the convocations, they can be transferred to Tom Johnson, who in turn can work with his committee towards a satisfactory solving of the problem. There has been a tendency for greater participation of students who have kept in the background in the past. For SNO-WEEK festivities, students who have been constantly active during their years at UMD were given a chance to sit back and let students with less experience take over. Here again, responsibility for the large event was placed in the chairman, Don Mlodzik, who took advantage of the opportunity quite capably.

Among the newly organized clubs this year are: the Pre-Law club, Sigma Tau Kappa fraternity, and the Freshman cabinet. There has been a move to re-organize clubs which have been inactive. The FTA, UMD-Ski club, UMD-Business club and the

UMD-Y have undergone great improvements. The great spirit of the leaders and other members of the UMD-Y club has really set the ball rolling in that organization. The new Freshman cabinet exemplifies a successful leadership organization; the 40-member cabinet has, among other things, formed a Freshman social committee, supplied a chairman for the Varsity show and a publicity committee. A meeting with the Freshman cabinet of the Main University and a Visitation Program have also been planned. The Visitation committee, Clyde Rogers, Judith Olson, Dorothy Lea, and the chairman, Dwight Hillstrom, has made plans for visits to 15 or 20 high schools throughout this area. They will discuss many problems of college life with graduating students.

You as a student cannot afford to remain passive in your college life. In addition to the enjoyment, satisfaction of accomplishment and leadership experience in belonging to an organization, you will be making a record for yourself. This year for the first time students activities are being recorded on the permanent personnel records. The Congress of Student Organizations includes over 50 organizations to choose from, with 300 positions for office and many more for committee members. Any new organization operating within the general University policies will be encouraged and aided by the OSPS.

## Concert Series To Feature Unique Musical Ensemble

Concert Series members will hear a unique musical ensemble on March 10 when the Gotham Players are presented in the third event of the Concert Series in Main auditorium at 8:00 p. m.

The Players perform on cello, violin, clarinet and piano, a combination so unusual that only one composition, by Hindemith, has been written for it. Their concert will be varied by the use of different groupings of instruments in duos and trios.

Each of these young musicians already has a rich background of experience. Clarinetist David Glazer, a graduate of Milwaukee State college, is a former member of the Cleveland orchestra. Carl Mosbacher, pianist, was educated abroad and has presented

concerts in many parts of Europe and the United States. The violinist, Werner Torkanowsky, has also concertized widely. Madeline Foley, a student of Felix Salmond and Pablo Casals, has made numerous appearances as a soloist and also has played with the Schneider quartet. Attractive Miss Foley is hailed by many as the foremost woman cellist in this country.

The Gotham Players organized as an ensemble partly in order to further their mastery of chamber literature. They bring to their interpretations an unusually broad knowledge of music in this field. Their program here is part of a midwestern tour arranged by the Concert, Theatre and Lecture Service of the University of Minnesota.





## OFFICIAL WEEKLY BULLETIN

Monday, March 8—Faculty Wives, Tweed, 8:00 p.m.; Rangers, Washburn, 8:00 p.m.; Student Recital, Tweed, 8:15 p.m.; Freshman High School Visitation Program Training Session, Washburn, 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday, March 9—Chorus Concert, aud., 8:00 p.m.; WAA Activity Hour, Phy Ed Bldg., 4:30 p.m.; Christian Fellowship, Main 111, 7:00-8:00 p.m.; Democratic-Republican Forum, Washburn, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, March 10—Concert Series, The Gotham Players, aud., 8:00 p.m.; Home Economics, Main 313, 7:30 p.m.; Westminster Fellowship, Washburn, 7-8 p.m.; SAI Reception after concert, Tweed Hall.  
Thursday, March 11—Wesley Foundation, Endion Methodist Church, 5:00 p.m.; LSA, First Lutheran Church, 5:00 p.m.; Newman Club, Holy Rosary, 7:30 p.m.; Otto Elischmehl, "The Art of Selling Knowledge," convo, 11:00 a.m.  
Saturday, March 13—Final Examinations begin.  
Sunday, March 14—Ensemble Concert, aud., 4:00 p.m.; Gamma Theta Phi, Wash., 7:15 p.m.

The following students will be absent from the first three periods of morning class on Friday, March 5, 1954, for an ensemble appearance at Morgan Park high school. An excused absence for classes missed during this time is recommended.

John McEldowney, Andy Pappas, Ron Richardson, Vivian Lindstrom. The following students will be absent from their 6th and 7th period class the afternoon of March 11, and all morning class on Friday, March 12, for an ensemble appearance at Cathedral high school, Washington and West Junior high school. An excused absence for classes missed during this time is recommended.

John McEldowney, Andy Pappas, Ron Richardson, Vivian Lindstrom, Etta Gilleland, Ann Carlson, Georgia Begovich, Reynold Leiva, Douglas Overland.

The following students will be absent from class on Friday, February 26, 1954, to go on a field trip. An excused absence for classes missed during this time is recommended.

Marianne Sola, Delores Anderson, Ruby Kamatos, William Juola, Fritz Kerttela, Robert Nelson, Nancy Martin, Kenneth Erickson, Lee Fadden, Ernie Hassell, Elizabeth Schultz, Richard Thompson, Robert Kresky, Same Miscovich, Donald A. Olson, George Peterson, Howard Leikas, Harold Hultberg, Jack Carlson, Carl Mattson, Kenneth Jeronimus, Elizabeth Robinson, Rod Turcott, Robert Walt, John Bredeson, Keith McCormick, Josephine Antunovich, William Parish, Dennis Konsti, Winifred Autio, Allan Ojala.

In keeping with established University policy, work missed may be made up in accordance with the usual procedure in each department or division.

C. W. WOOD, Director, Office of Student Personnel Services.

The following students were absent from class on Friday, February 19, 1954, to attend the State Conference Methodist Student Movement. An excused absence for classes missed during this time is recommended.

Betty Lou Brown, Patricia Dynneson, Ruth Fransene, Helen Bowes, Eugene Simon, Merrill Loy, Ruth Sramek, Lowell Eckberg, Bruce Ceppek, Lois Lindstrom, Virginia Hansen, Bill Griffith, Donald Fischer, Donald Germain.

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## Stiff Competition Faces Debate Team; St. Paul Meet Next

By BARB LAIBL

"Well, how did it go?" I questioned Dr. Hicks.

"Let's check the record," he briskly replied. With that, he put on his glasses and searched his desk for the desired "record."

Statistically, this record showed that at the last debate, February 19 and 20, eighty-four teams representing twenty-eight schools participated in the tournament at Wisconsin State college in Eau Claire.

Our two teams of David Wood and Jerry Ylinen; and Grant Merritt and Gary Sterling, were entered in the A division. Both teams had a total of 73 points; the former won two and lost three, and the latter won three and lost two.

Copping first place honors was South Dakota State Teachers' college, with five wins and no losses and a total of 83 points. The University of Nebraska, placing second, also had five wins and no losses and a team score of 81. In third place was Notre Dame with a 4-to-1 ratio and a total score of 90 points. Notre Dame was awarded the sweepstakes trophy as they placed third in the A division and first and second in the B division.

Grant and Gary debated against South Dakota State

### The UMD Statesman

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## The Editor's Mailbox

To the Editor:

I would like to extend my thanks to all the students that helped make this year's Sno-Queen campaign such a high success. Sincere thanks to Leo LaFrance, Jerry DeShaw, Doug McMillan, Darlene Indihar and Barbara Peterson for all their time and effort. Thanks also to the Newman club, Ski club, Rangers, Beta Phi Kappa, and Buckhorns.

SYBIL WAINSTOCK,  
1954 Sno-Queen.

### Lakela Attends Conclave

Dr. Olga Lakela, Professor of Biology, attended the annual meeting of the Quetic-Superior Wilderness Research Advisory committee held on the St. Paul campus Feb. 27. Dr. Lakela is an active member of this committee and has done much research on the Superior Wilderness area.

Teachers' college and Notre Dame. Although they lost these debates, they won over the team from the Southern branch.

This week-end our teams travel to St. Paul for the Twenty-third annual Northwestern Invitational debate tournament at St. Thomas. Here they will meet the stiffest competition yet. Approximately 45 schools will be entered, and each team will debate eight times instead of the usual five. The schedule had each team debate twice yesterday and twice that evening. Today, they debate in the morning and afternoon, or four hours of debating for each team. On Saturday, the top eight teams compete for first, second and third place in this elimination contest.

Though a stiff grind to shoulder, the teams feel the experience is rewarding, and the mental alertness gained, beneficial.

"What's all the hurry about?"

"Just bought a textbook and I'm trying to get to class before the next edition comes out."

To the Editor:

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the administration, faculty and entire student body for such fine co-operation which my committees and myself received during this year's Sno-Week. Without this support it would have been a failure.

Realizing neither time nor space will allow the naming of each individual, I would like to express my appreciation to these people in particular. Mr. Ward Wells and his recreational leadership class, who combined with Pi Delta Phi sorority made the Square Dance such a success. Mrs. Schroeder of the cafeteria (who donated her free time and work all night), and Tom Johnson for the Dawn Yawn. Janet Nelson for Lutsen. Provost Dr. Darland handled the JCC Rotary club luncheon for Governor Anderson and the queen candidates. Sybil Wainstock, Jerry DeShaw and Leo LaFrance did an excellent job with the torches and combined with LeRoy Johnson for the successful torchlight parade. Peggy Wood and the Bakers for the Hamline trip.

Also special credit goes to Mr. Falk who actually was the idea for Sno-Week, along with Dr. Wood. Jerry Nelson and Barb Laibl and the entire sophomore class for a great Sno-Ball. Leo Shapiro and the freshman class for the Coronation and the Varsity show. Also to Jerry Wilmot whose capable qualities made the show a success.

John Sherman and Peggy Grover who did an excellent job handling the publicity.

I am sorry we couldn't have had a better representation of our school in the parade. But taking the severe cold into consideration, I can see where the band's musical instruments would freeze solid. My appreciation goes out to the Ambassadors drum and bugle corps who must have winterized their instruments.

Apologizing to those whom I've overlooked, I hope you students extend congratulations to these people who actually made this year's Sno-Week the biggest in the history of the school.

Respectfully submitted,

DON MLODZIK,  
1954 Sno-Week Chairman.

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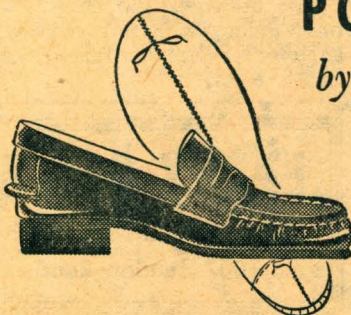
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# Pucksters Capture Undisputed MIAC Crown

## Crippled Bulldogs Smash Previous Records; Establish 15 New Marks

Despite the fact that UMD played without the services of Mark Vukelich and Tom Richardson throughout most of the season, the Bulldogs finished with a respectable 15-10 over-all record and an 8-8 won-lost slate in Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference play. The 15-10 record is the best in UMD history.

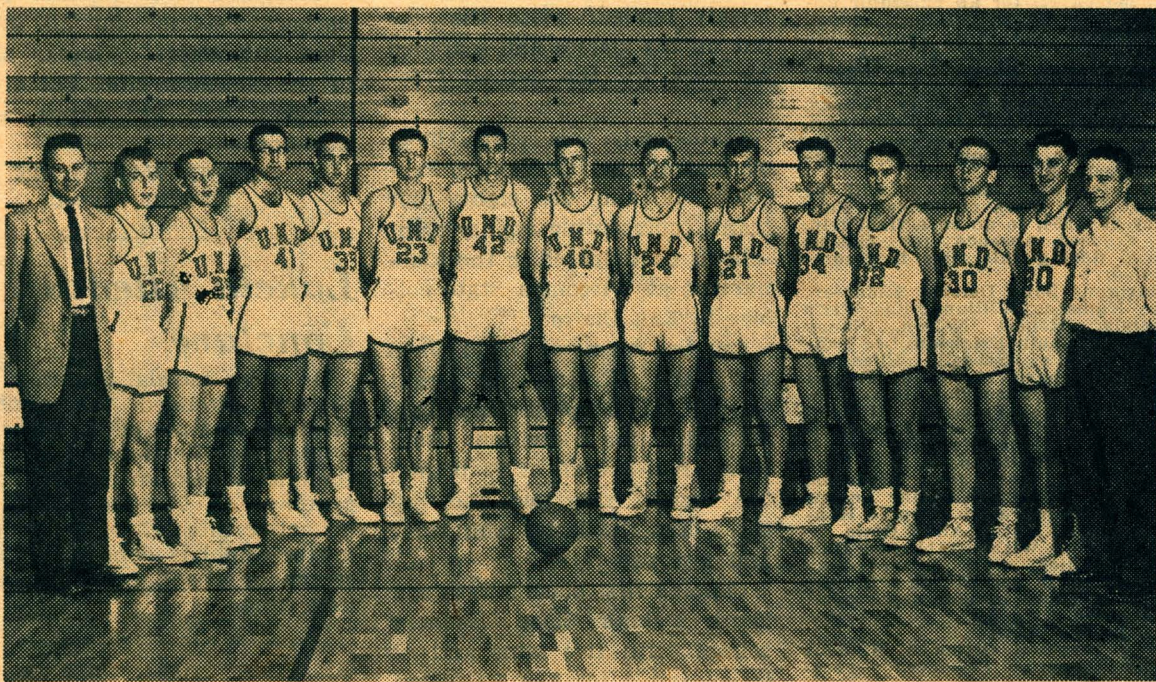
Capt. Chuck Hiti, who won All-Conference laurels last year, finished his collegiate career with a point total of 433 in 25 games. He surpassed his last year's total of 422, but failed by 24 to overcome the present individual scoring high held by Rudy Monson. Monson tallied the record 456 counters in the 1949-50 season. Hiti broke his own 1953 record when he tallied 20 or more points in 12 games.

In conference play, Hiti hit the hoop for 255 points, well below his total of 306 last season. During his two years at UMD, the blonde-haired ex-Eveleth JC star meshed the nets for 855 points to take over second place in Bulldog career totals. Monson is holder of this record also, having tallied 960 in 2½ seasons of competition.

Mel Koivisto, the Bulldogs' sentinel, pumped in 248 points to boost his three-year total to 680. Koivisto, a junior, has one year of basketball eligibility remaining. Bruce Paulson notched 156 to make his career total 629.

In the five years that UMD has been a member of the MIAC, the Bulldogs hold winning records over only two clubs, Concordia and St. John's. Following are the UMD all-time basketball records against loop teams.

Concordia (6-2); St. John's (5-4); Augsburg (4-4); Macalester (2-5); St. Thomas (2-6); St. Mary's (2-6); and Hamline (0-9).



Members of the 1953-54 basketball squad reading from left to right are: Coach Ray Isenbarger, Dick Veech, Mel Koivisto, Bruce Paulson, Tom Richardson, Bob Seikkula, Mark Vukelich, John McKeag, Bob McDonald, Ed Pajunen, Tom Stark, John Furkul, Jerry Ahlin. The team finished with 15 wins and 10 losses. The best in the school's history.

The 1953-54 Bulldogs established many new records. These are:

- Most points, season, all games, 1,897.
- Most points, season, conference, 1,186.
- Highest average, season, all games, 75.48.
- Highest average, season, conference, 74.13.
- Most field goals, season, all games, 641.
- Most free throws, season, all games, 615.
- Most free throws, season, conference, 406.
- Most games scored 90 or more points, 2.
- Most games scored 80 or more points, 8.
- Most games scored 70 or more points, 19.
- Most games scored 70 or more consecutively, 7.

Most games won in succession, all games, 6.

Most games won in succession, conference, 4.

Most games won, season, all games, 15.

Most times winner over conference foe (2 games), 3.

The opposition set scoring records against the Bulldogs also. In all games the opponents tallied 1,844 points and in loop play the opposition garnered 1,232.

### Individual Records Since 1950

Most points scored, season, all games: Rudy Monson (1950), 456; Chuck Hiti (1954), 433; Chuck Hiti (1953), 422.

Most points scored, conference: Chuck Hiti (1953), 306\*; Chuck Hiti (1954), 255\*; Rudy Monson (1950), 231\*\*.

An unassisted goal by John Mitchell at 3:24 of the overtime period gave the UMD hockey team a 6-5 victory over Macalester Wednesday and the MIAC puck championship. The Eddolsmen finished the conference slate with nine wins and one loss, the lone loop loss having come at the hands of St. Thomas.

It was an uphill battle for the Maroon and Gold as they trailed, 4-1, going into the final period.

Al Peterson climaxed the comeback with a solo with only ten seconds remaining to knot the count at 4-4 and send the tilt into an overtime.

Peterson opened the third period scoring with an unassisted goal at 1:10 to make it 4-2. Howie Wallene, on an assist from Ron Scott, cut the margin to 4-3 at the 2:50 mark. Ron Sjoborg tied the score at 6:05, assisted by Wallene and Mitchell, but Macalester's Marshall Nelson put his mates in front, 5-4, with a goal at the 8:30 mark.

Then came Peterson's tying counter and the heated overtime session capped by Mitchell's game-winning goal.

Alex Sisto, a Denfeld high school product, started the scoring fireworks in the first period after 1:30 had elapsed for a 1-0 UMD lead. Frank Holappa was credited with an assist on the goal.

But Macalester, who had trimmed St. Thomas the day before, roared back to even the count at 3:27 as Nelson hit the nets.

Then the Scots went to town in the second quarter to take a 4-1 advantage. Nelson made it 2-1 at the 2:30 mark and Jim Andre tallied on an assist from Carlen a minute later to put his mates into a 3-1 advantage. Bob Spong closed out the second period scoring.

A total of 20 penalties were called by the referees in the rugged contest which saw UMD win its first undisputed hockey championship. Last year, the Bulldogs finished in a two-way tie with St. Thomas for the top rung.

Goalie Duane Johnson, a freshman from Denfeld, made 26 stops and the Macalester goalie, Isaacs, made 21.

## Sports On Parade

by Arne Moilanen

Last Tuesday, the University of Minnesota hockey team played the Chicago Blackhawks, a member of the National Hockey league, at Williams Arena. Prior to this development it had always been our belief that the University forbade any professional clubs from using the facilities of the University. Apparently then, we have been misled or else the decision to allow a professional team to play in Williams Arena is very recent.

In any case, those who may want the Minneapolis Lakers to play a pro game in Williams Arena have every right to expect such a game to be scheduled since letting one professional team play on the campus opens the door to others.

Now to relate this situation to UMD. Since we follow the policies of the U. of M. in numerous instances, one of those perhaps having been the denial of university facilities to professional teams (until the Blackhawk-Gopher game) UMD should now be allowed to negotiate a game or games between the Minneapolis Lakers and some other member of the National Basketball association to be played at the new Health and Physical Education building.

In short, if the University of Minnesota can allow pro teams to play on its campus why can't we?

### MIAC ALL-CONFERENCE

Although the conference race isn't over yet, here is our version of the 1953-54 MIAC All-Conference team:

Forwards: Pat Costello, St.

Mary's; John Sexton, St. John's; Dave Tschimperle, Hamline. Centers: Dick Donlin, Hamline; Jim Springer, Gustavus. Guards: Chuck Hiti, UMD; John Patzwald, Gustavus; Bob Lee, St. Thomas.

## Rec Swim Periods Cancelled

Poor attendance at recreational swim periods hardly warrants financial costs involved. Therefore the following periods are cancelled.

Monday: 11:30-1:15, men's swim period; 4:30-5:15, women's swim period.

Tuesday: 11:30-1:15, women's swim period.

Wednesday: 11:30-1:15, men's swim period.

Thursday 11:30-1:30, co-rec swim period.

Recreational swims are being continued for the following periods:

Wednesday: 4:30-5:15. Friday: 12:30-2:30.

## Medley Relay Team Unbeaten

Although the UMD swimming team hasn't been outstanding as a unit, its medley relay competitors, composed of Maki, Fierek, and Swartz, is unbeaten in conference competition.

The threesome have won firsts in four meets, the latest against Macalester last Tuesday.

Ron Maki, the team's individual star, has shown tremendous power in capturing first place in all breast stroke competition he has entered.

The mermen end their season next Friday and Saturday when they enter the conference meet in St. Paul.

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## WAA Activities

By BARB LAIBL

Kapitan Kiddlett's Kapers is the theme for the high school playday. A few of the high schools invited to this event on April 3 are Proctor, Two Harbors, Cloquet, Esko, Wrenshall, and Carlton.

Co-chairmen in charge of this annual playday are Shirley Ott and Lee Dominechetti; Gladysce Rappana is handling invitations; Peggy Woods, the program; Pat Haley, food; and Kay Dietl, decorations.

Team 3 edged out team 4 by a score of 12 to 7, and team 1 slaughtered team 2 with a 26-to-4 score. Members of team 1, Ott's Hotshots, are Shirley Ott, Peggy Woods, Pat Borman, Audrey Holmes, Betty McCall, Barb Holmes, Diane Tarnowski, and Barb Laibl.

Team 2 members, Moe's Pros, include Darlene Melander, Carmen Kehtel, Bea Brune, Dorothy Lofgren, Barb Peterson, Kay Dietl, Joan Anderson, Doreen Abramson, and Pat Haley.

Members of team 3, Haskins' Rascals, are Sue Haskins, Sue Rosenberger, Carol Johnson, Dolores Herold, Mary Conley, Arlene Salmi, Nancy Diers, and Juanita Kauppila.

Members of team 4, Bett's Vets, include Betty Lawson, Sue Schelstreet, Arlene Palmer, Nancy Kern, Joyce Myres, Joyce Wilenius, and Lee Dominechetti.

Be watching for the winning team of this basketball tournament on Lew Rickert's Sports Spindle, WFTV.